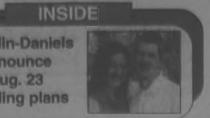


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New Brockton appoints "acting" police chief

open in Opp, Ala., and Cole said announced that he would no New Brockton Police Please See TOWN, Page 3 the forthcoming New Brockton longer be employed as chief of Department for five and a half location will be an expansion police for New Brockton, but

by Linda Hodge, Editor Putting an end to several were not provided. The New Brockton Town weeks of rumors and specula- King has named officer Dale including Pennsylvania and Council began its monthly tions, Cole said the town at this Grimes as his "acting" assistant Alabama. meeting Monday evening, July time has an "acting" chief of chief of police. 14, with a few of announce- police. He said William "Bill" "Officer Grimes and I work Department currently has one ments from Mayor Charles King has been appointed "act- well together, and we have a full-time officer (King) and four ing" chief of police until the plan for New Brockton," King part-time officers.

time in which the position is said. "We want to improve the During Monday's council economic news for New filled on a permanent basis. performance of the department meeting. Cole said he has the King officially took over the and make it more professional authority to appoint a new ment of a new eatery coming to position as "acting" police chief which in itself will improve the police chief for the town, but he hearing held Wednesday, July 2. years of military service with several things the group needs Moore's Buffet is currently After Gilbert's hearing, it was the Army and has been with the

tragic for one Elba family

35 early Sunday morning, July marker.

ZC band director among new hires siblings David and Deseray League of Municipalities. Mayor during Coffee County BOE meeting (Thursday), July 17, in accomplishments during gradua-

matters in question.

9:15 a.m. According to uly 15. By early afterno press time, where he wa

cated and his conditi

its Amber Alert system t

use this week when a Coffee

Members of the Coffee County at New Brockton Elementary County boy was reported Board of Education met for a spe- School to kindergarten teacher at Elba City Council cial meeting Thursday, July 10, at the same school. (On May 22, the missing earlier this week With the beginning of the kindergarten teacher to second after he was last seen

> among personnel. approved included:

Elementary School to guidance Elementary School.

by Linda Hodge, Editor Colvin from second grade teacher on page 3.) tary transfer of Colvin from

Ingram presented board members Williams from fifth grade at Zion attending an out-of-town city offered for elected officials. with her written recommenda- Chapel Elementary School to related meeting, Mayor Pro Tem Mayor Grimes, because of his tions involving personnel mat- fifth grade at New Brockton Ronnie Hammond presided over attendance at statewide and Commission ends ters, and the board approved Elementary School. the meeting. these recommendations with a 5
* Voluntarily transfer Chris The council voted to award ences, has received formal class
meeting in recess O vote (board members Rubin Sutley from reading coach at the bid for cutting the mar-room training in subjects such as

McKinnon and Annette Griswold Zion Chapel Elementary School ketable timber at the Carl council meeting procedures, parwere not present for the meeting). to reading coach at New Folsom Airport to Smurfit-Stone liamentary procedure, the Commission had no trouble zip-The personnel changes Brockton Elementary, School. Timber Company, of Andalusia, Sunshine Law, public records, ping through its agenda Monday * Transfer Lori Cotney from for a bid price of \$130,957.50. ordinance drafting, conflicts of morning, July 14, as the group library media specialist at New There were five bidders for the interest, the State Ethics Law, met for its regular bimonthly * Voluntarily transfer Deborah Brockton Elementary/New timber with the low bid being duties of the mayor and council, meeting; however, the session Herron from her position as guid- Brockton High School to library \$37,000. The firm has 18 tort liability, the competitive bid ended in recess rather than ance counselor at Zion Chapel media specialist at New Brockton months to complete the cutting. law, zoning and planning, annex-adjournment.



JUST PART OF THE PROCESS...Local residents have surely taken notice to the many loads of dirt being hauled around town as workers rehabilitate the levee. However, the project involves many more levels of work than just packing dirt. Testing engineer James Rowell (left) with CDG Engineering spends his time testing the compaction and moisture content of the dirt work. He said the objective is to get the dirt packed so it will be nearly "hard as a rock." For his testing, he uses a nuclear density gauge. Above, he is joined by testing engineer Richard Jackson in performing another test which should confirm the results Rowell got with his nuclear test, as well as other details. By the way, this cular lift located near the old county jail site tested at 99.8 percent compaction.

town. He said Moore's Buffet is last Thursday, July 10, follow- quality of service for the town." wants to be sure he and the set to open at its new location on Friday, Aug. 1, in the building fills the position vacated by security officer with on and off finding the person best suited formerly occupied by Judy's Jerry Gilbert following a closed service since 1970. He had 22 for the job. He said there are

Interstate 85 accident turns

A traffic accident on Interstate ing on I-85 near the 52-mile 3, turned deadly for one Elba Police said the Parks' vehicle amily as four relatives were was struck head-on by a pick-up

truck traveling the wrong way in Elba residents Mickey Parks, the southbound lanes of the age 45, and Donald Parks, age interstate. The truck was being 39, were killed instantly along driven by William Anderson David, age 14, and Deseray, age too was killed in the accident. 13. Although natives of Coffee Seven other people traveling County, the two teenagers were in two other vehicles were also current residents of Gastonia, injured in the accident and taken

Officer William "Bill" King was sworn in last Thursday, July 10, as "acting" police chief for the Town of New Brockton. Providing King with his oath was town clerk Annette Williams, According to Elba Mayor James E. Grimes Auburn police and Lee County

Mother, Davana Parks Moore.

According to reports from the Auburn police and Lee County

Funeral services for brothers

According to reports from the Auburn police and Lee County Mayor Charles Cole, the search for the town's next police chief will coroner Bill Harris, the four- Mickey and Donald Parks were ignation of Certified Municipal

begin soon, but he said he will take his time in finding the best suited person for the job.

wehicle accident occurred shortly before 1 a.m. Sunday mornthe Chapel of Hayes Funeral credit hours of training conduct-* Voluntarily transfer Lisa aries for all four may be found Montgomery on June 26, 2003.

Noon, and quickly handled the board voted to accept the volun- holds short meeting

2003-04 school year less than a grade teacher at N.B.E.S. with by Ferrin Cox, Publisher of Municipalities, under the direction of its executive commonth away, the major attention the understanding that she be The Elba City Council met mittee, to complete the cycle of grabbing item included changes transferred back to a kindergarten Monday evening for five whole training for municipal officials position if a third unit opened.) minutes. In the absence of and employees. Until that time, Superintendent Dr. Linda * Voluntarily transfer Deborah Mayor James Grimes who was no formal training had been

 Hammond reminded council ation, municipal regulatory pow With commission chair counselor at New Brockton Please See BOE, Page 3 members they have in their ers, municipal revenues and Robert Stephens and vice chairpackets copies of proposed rules expenditures, personnel actions man Bernest Brooks away at a

and regulations for the Elba and leadership development. convention, commissioner Jim Airport use by aerial applicator "The citizens of Elba should Thompson served as leader for companies plus a reminder of be extremely proud of Mayor the meeting. the right to submit a nomination Grimes for his achievements by Commissioners opened bids for a member of the Coffee completing this elected officials for traffic striping with only one County Board of Equalization. training program," said Perry bid being submitted. These nominations are for the Roquemore Jr., executive direc- Ozark Striping Company Inc term beginning October 1, 2003. tor of the league of municipali- of Ozark submitted a bid for Monthly bills totaling ties. "He spent many hours dur- \$265,705, and county engineer \$92,957.52 were approved for ing the last several years attend- Randy Tindell recommended

Area Happenings



The "Celebrate Elba 150" committee and Elba Chamber of idents last Saturday evening, July 12. Among the many surprises Additional scenes from the evening can be found on pages 6 & 7

Grimes becomes Certified Municipal Official

Home in Elba while services for ed or endorsed by the Alabama Parks will be held today Grimes was recognized for his Gastonia, N.C. (Complete obitu- tion ceremonies held in He is a member of the eighth graduating class of Certified Municipal Officials.

> The training program for elected municipal officials was begun in 1994 by the Alabama League Elba Mayor James Grimes of Municipalities, under the his motivation to become a better diligent attendance during these

regional educational confer-

ing day-long workshops and lec- tabling the issuance of this bid Commissioner Tom Grimsley offered a motion to table with a second from commissioner Doug Dalrymple, and it passed by a unanimous vote.

The only other matter voted upon by the commission involved a request by Tindell in which commissioners voted to allow him to send out bids for the repair of the a dozer. Tindell said the dozer is broken down at the county landfill, and he feels the repair costs will be rather

Tindell also requested the commission recess Monday's Please See CCC, Page 3

was serving as vice-president at

Robert Thompson Sr. and Nettie

Thompson and his wife,

Dianne, Dothan, Ala., Glenn

Alan Thompson and his wife,

Lois Vance, Meridian, Miss.;

EDITORIAL

with Ferrin Cox

Sunday morning we were getting dressed for church and lis- Federal Trade Commission are, if you have a phone, you an welcome tening to "Meet The Press" on the tube. Secretary of (FTC), will record all have encountered annoying sales pitch.

Defense Donald Rumsfeld was on the firing line. When we Americans wishing to be sales calls. These unsolicited In recent began reacting in a negative manner to his answers, it was placed on a national list declar- dial-ups usually occur during years, such time to hit the OFF button. It wasn't necessarily his answers ing their phone numbers off the early evening hours during calls have which were frustrating, but the way he was trying to twist The new registry comes four have to unwind from a busy the use of some former statements he was being reminded of uttering. months after Congress passed day. Nothing is more aggravate of might be reminded of uttering. We began muttering out loud that it sounded like the Bill Clinton comment of "It is according to how you define 'is". At that point it was time to get away from Rumsfeld before we blew a gasket from extreme high blood pressure. An afterthought is that both this writer and the Defense Secretary probably needed a bunch of church help at that The Elba Police Department, p.m.); Assist the county with a home. Since point in the program.

Well the Alabama Education fund is so of short money that incidents: two for criminal mis-Alabama voters are being asked to vote on a record break- chief, four for harassment, five THURSDAY, JULY 10 - Fight speak to, the answerer is often you want to register. If you ing tax increase in September. However there is enough money in the budget to pay an estimated 5,000 Jr. College employees a salary (and probably mileage) to go to a north Alabama meeting with the governor next week to be Alabama meeting with the governor next week to be influence, one leaving the scene. pumped up about the merits of the tax increase vote. That is one burglary, one missing ani- FRIDAY, JULY 11 Coffee incoming calls. Others have Call registry begins on October after some education folks have attended another such rah- mal, one abandoned property. County EMS dispatched to the purchased devices designed to first this year. All consumers rah meeting with the governor in Mobile. Oh, of course this one possible overdose, one Coffee County Jail (12:16 a.m.); block telemarketers. You pay whose numbers are on the regis a professional development meeting so it is legal to pay domestic dispute and one crimi- Possible prowler reported at for phone service for the peace istry by August 31 will notice a the salaries out of our heaping, overflowing treasure chest. nal trespassing.

There can be no doubt that an intense power struggle has Traffic citations issued during p.m.); Fight in progress reported The FTC announced last year in telemarketing calls within been going on in the Baptist Health System's board of directive week were as follows: one at 1032 Martin Luther King Dr. its intent to establish a national three months of the date they tors. The group operates hospitals in seven or eight Alabama revoked driver's license, two for (9:28 p.m.). cities, including one in Birmingham, and there has been not wearing a seat belt, one recent talk of sell outs, take over, management contract, switched tag, six for no proof of SATURDAY, JULY 12 - River selves of these intrusive calls. your rights in dealing with telejoint venture, whatever. Well over the weekend there was a insurance, one expired driver's stage - 9.26 feet (6:04 a.m.). However, such a list needed marketers, you can visit the sudden reversal and nothing like that is going to happen. In ver's license in possession and to 706 Putnam St. (8:02 p.m.): February, the House and Senate http://www.ftc.gov>. fact the news release we received indicated the head man one for not using a child Fight in progress reported on quickly passed the Do Not Call has been terminated and four board members have resigned. restraint system. It doesn't take much imagination to figure out that there has Daily activity highlights for Possible fight escalating on and it was signed by the been a lot of messy infighting going on with that group.

It looks like Elba is moving a step closer to getting a new prowler reported at 752 SUNDAY, JULY 13 - Domestic law, gives the FTC the authoribuilding to replace the aging structure housing the J. B.

Pinedale (3:15 a.m.): River disturbance reported at Beaver ty to establish and maintain the stage - 11.28 feet (6:09 a.m.): Dam Apts., B-4 (12:31 a.m.). national Do-Not-Call list. It Taylor Diagnostic Lab. Advertisement for bids went out in Coffee County EMS dispatched Coffee County EMS dispatched also requires telemarketers to this week's Elba Clipper. An earlier effort to get a contraction of Hwy, 87 S to 1403 Smith Ave. (2.29 a.m.): purchase the list which is tor was aborted when the low bid was much higher than the and Hwy. 134 W (9:21 a.m.); River stage - 7.96 feet (6:05 updated regularly. amount of money allocated by the Alabama Department of Loud music reported at a resi- a.m.); Alarm activated at 996. Two weeks ago, the FTC Agriculture for construction of the project. After a revamp- dence on Hwy. 87 N. (8:11 Hwy. 203 (10:14 a.m.). 2-vehi- announced the official kick-official k ing of the plans, state officials are optimistic they will be p.m.); Disturbance reported at a cle wreck reported at the inter- of its new Do-Not-Call list and able to let a contract following the August 12th deadline.

The new, modern facility will be constructed immediately

The new, modern facility will be constructed immediately behind the existing lab. An alternate on the plans is a "dis- and Factory St. (10:15 p.m.). tant learning center" complete with state-of-the-art two way video conferencing to keep farmers and other area citizens TUESDAY, JULY 8 - River (11:50 p.m.) updated on the latest in techniques. Once the new facility is stage - 9.62 feet (6:25 a.m.); completed and occupied, the old building will be demol- Routine activity. ished by the City of Elba and replaced with a parking lot. WEDNESDAY, JULY 9 While the existing facility is owned by the Elba Industrial River stage - 8.80 feet (6:21) Development Board, the new building will be a state owned a.m.): Fight (not in progress) building. The City of Elba and the Industrial Board are reported at 1232 Ann St. (12:22 donating the land for the new building to the state.



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mmunity Room in Farm Center

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beginning Monday, July 7, fight at Nelson's Store on Hwy these dialers

dialers which Elba Police Report

Terry Everett

2003, investigated the following 87 N. (6:18 p.m.)

license, three for not having dri- Coffee County EMS dispatched Congressional approval. In FTC's web site at Carver Dr. (10:52 p.m.): Implementation Act (HR 395) the week were as follows: Jackson St. (11:15 p.m.). President Bush on March 11 MONDAY, JULY 7 - Possible

fire reported at 846 Troy Hwy signed up. Persons wanting to

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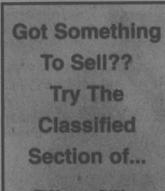
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.">http://www.donotcall.gov>. the telemarketer is able to You must call from the number

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to discuss at the next working ning commission and approved session (Monday, July 28, at 7 his nomination to the county p.m.) before he begins the board of equalization. Cole said search for a new police chief. Lockwood agreed to serve on MICKEY PARKS

The mayor also said Monday both committees. to be able to reappoint Ricky town's payment to the Coffee Ala., died July 13, 2003 in and several other relatives and He was preceded in death his insurance business with evening the council had hoped * Approved increasing the Strickland to his former council County EMA (Emergency Auburn, Ala. nation from the spot during the agency.

Since that time, Cole said Thursday, Aug. 7, at 7 p.m. at mother: Mavis Parks, Elba; his a.m. at Founders Chapel with Ala.; two grandchildren, several Mr. Thompson was preceded would come back to serve since Citizen's Center.

is willing to come back if the vehicle. approved. does not know if the letter will that played on the Enterprise Fowler, Andalusia, Ala. make a difference, it can not Dixie Ponytails softball team at

In other business, the coun- According to council member *Approved the appointment impressive season both locally of Bill Lockwood to the plan- and statewide.

(Continued from Page One)

High School. * Voluntarily transfer Lisa at Zion Chapel School. teacher at Zion Chapel to lan- language arts teacher at Zion Funeral Home directing. * Voluntarily transfer Angie Neis. Jinright from first grade teacher Support

* Transfer Joni Smith from Elementary School.

physiology teacher at New for domestic paper. same school.

at the same school. * Re-employ Shasta Arnett as

a first grade teacher/volleyball coach at Zion Chapel. science and P.E. teacher/coach

qualified. * Employ Patricia Campbell said this would speed up the as a business education teacher process. at New Brockton High School. Commissioner Grimsley men-

Kinston School. an elementary guidance coun- appointed a group of individuals selor/math teacher at Zion to serve as a review team for the WISE FAMILY

Zion Chapel School. * Employ Wanda Buckelew go in the future.

Zion Chapel School. preschool through 12 at Kinston this matter.

grades K-6 at Zion Chapel The Coffee County Commission School, pending verification that she is highly qualified. holds its meetings in the community room of the county com-* Accept the resignation of plex in New Brockton.

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Katherine Neis, English teacher Hodge officiating. Burial foling.

teacher at the same school. paper to Strickland Paper Elba. * Voluntarily transfer Tami Company of Montgomery. from Ingram said Strickland supplied DAVID JOE PARKS ecology/biology/anatomy and the low bid at \$19.50 per case David 'Davey' Joe Parks, age

Brockton High School to physi- * Awarded the bid for carpet 13, 2003 in Auburn, Ala. cal science/biology/anatomy at Zion Chapel Elementary He is a native of Coffee June 30, 2003. sfer Brad This too was the low bid.

* Employ Mickey Jacobs as a (Continued from Page One)

at Zion Chapel School, pending meeting until next Monday, June verification that he is highly 21, so bids can be opened and awarded for the dozer repair. He

* Employ Nodie Simmons as tioned the county's strategic a business education teacher at plan that was created in 1997 and adopted in 1998. He said at * Employ Rhonda Flowers as that time, commissioners plan. He said he would like to Stacy and Emily Wise would

* Employ Shelley Motes as meet with these people to see like to thank everyone for the WILSON JEROME band director/music teacher at where the county is with the support, donations, cards, calls, PARRISH plan now and where it needs to food and prayers given to us Mr. Wilson Jerome Parrish, * Accept the resignation of would meet with the review undergoes a bone marrow trans-Debbie Hernandez as a special team, and report back to the plant this week.

this matter.

Finally, the commission voted who donated their time and energy at Emanuel Holiness with Rev. Glen Butler and Rev.

* Employ Donna Caldwell as to recess the regular meeting Church in making the benefit Tim Toomey officiating. a collaborative teacher for until Monday, June 21, at 9 a.m. barbecue so successful.

Obituaries

Funeral services were held however, the deadline had clerk Annette Williams said this Wednesday, July 16, 2003 at 2 DESERAY LEIGH PARKS Survivors include his wife: the time of his retirement in passed for reappointment. increase will have the town p.m. from the Chapel of Hayes Deseray 'Daisy' Leigh Parks, * Kiska Parrish, Enterprise, Ala.; 1988. Strickland offered his resig- paying \$2,250 per year to the Funeral Home in Elba with Rev. age 13, of Gastonia, N.C., died two sons: Byron Parrish, Elba, Funeral services were held James Adcock and Rev. Loyd July 13, 2003 in Auburn, Ala. Bruce Parrish, Atlanta, Ga.; his July 15, 2003 at Byrd Funeral November 2002 council meet- * Heard a report from council Hodge officiating. Burial fol- She is a native of Coffee County mother: Ruth (Lott) Parrish. Home Chapel with Rev. Van ing, and Cole said no other cit- member Johnnie Herron in lowed in Shiloh Baptist Church and the daughter of the late Elba; one brother: J.L. Parrish, Gauthe officiating. Burial folizen from the district had which he said the presentation Cemetery of Elba with Hayes Donald Parks of Elba, Georgetown, Ga.; two sisters: lowed in Gardens of Memory

Strickland has indicated he the New Brockton Senior father: Lomax Parks, Elba; two Revered Joe Small officiating, aunts, uncles, nieces and in death by his parents, William daughters: Christy Catrett, Burial will follow at Gaston nephews. With the reappointment dead-repairs in which Mayor Cole Fowler, Andalusia, Ala.; three Funeral Home of Gastonia, N.C. tions may be made to Wiregrass sisters, Mildred Evans and line gone, Cole said he plans to said the department now has sisters: Dorothy Clark, Opelika, directing, write a letter to the governor three operational vehicles for Ala., Barbara Smith and Brenda Survivors include her moth- UMC Building Fund, or Survivors include his wife: explaining the town had no use. He said the vehicles will Brown, both of Elba; three er: Davana Parks Moore, Pleasant Ridge Primitive June Thompson, Dothan, Ala.; names to submit for appoint- be assigned to officers and each brothers: Bobby Parks, Gastonia, N.C.; maternal Baptist Church. ment to the seat, and Strickland will complete a check sheet for Brantley, Ala., John Parks and grandparents: Sandee and * Agreed to recognize the granddaughters: Cassic paternal grandparents: Mavis NOLIN

> the next council meeting. DONALD PARKS Mr. Donald Parks, age 39, of THOMAS E. SMITH Jody Stuckey, this team had an

Ala., died July 13, 2003 in of Andalusia, Ala., died July 7. Atonement Episcopal Church in MAUDIE B. HARRISON Funeral services were held Funeral services were held Monnet officiating. 86, of Lake Placid, Fla., died Wednesday, July 16, 2003 at 2 July 10, 2003 at Zion Hill Ms. Nolin was preceded in July 14, 2003 at her residence. p.m. from the Chapel of Hayes Baptist Church. Burial followed death by her former husband, Funeral services will be held Funeral Home in Elba with Rev. in the church cemetery with Randall Crook; and her father, Friday, July 18, 2003 at 10 a.m. James Adcock and Rev. Loyd Keahey Funeral Home direct- Marvin Ray Nolin. in the New Life Holiness

Duebelt from language arts * Employ Alicia Odom as a Cemetery of Elba with Hayes Donna Smith, Andalusia, Ala.; her mother and stepfather: Cemetery in Lake Placid, Fla. guage arts teacher at Kinston. Chapel School to replace Mrs. Survivors include his Tony Lee Smith and Rusty Athens, Tenn.; her grandmoth- officiating. mother: Mavis Parks, Elba; his Shane Smith, all of Andalusia; er: Voncille Coleman, New She was preceded in death by father: Lomax Parks, Elba; one brother and sister-in-law: Brockton, Ala,; two sisters: her parents, Mancil and Eunice at Zion Chapel School to kinder- * Employ Janet Holmes as three sisters: Dorothy Clark, Jimmy and Debbie Smith, Elba; Gwen Cox and husband Tim, Harrison; two brothers, Alfred garten teacher at the same lead nurse for Coffee County Opelika, Ala., Barbara Smith four sisters and two brothers- Knoxville, Tenn., Dawn Hart and Grover Harrison; and two Schools based at New Brockton and Brenda Brown, both of in-law: Dianne Duncan, Opp, and husband James, Secane, sisters, Hazel Mather and Cecile Elba; three brothers: Bobby Ala., Susan and Travis Nunn. Pa.; one stepsister: Felicia Best. Keck. fourth grade teacher at Zion In other business, the board: Parks, Brantley, Ala., John Cindy and Randy Eddins, and and husband Bob, Columbia, Survivors include three sis-Chapel School to fifth grade * Awarded the bid for copy Parks and James Parks, both of Tammie Hill, ail of Elba; one S.C., two stepbrothers: Bobby ters: Rachel Baker, Lake Placid,

14, of Gastonia, N.C., died July DAVID SNELL

Johnson, Brundidge, Ala.; one

son: Alford Snell Johnson

(Vera), Enterprise, Ala.; one sis-

ter: Estell Moultry, Brundidge,

Ala.; one brother: Eddie Lee

Snell, Brundidge, Ala.; one

brother-in-law: Waymon Reed,

Brundidge, Ala.; one sister-in-

law: Essie Lou Warren,

Brundidge, Ala.; six grandchil-

and physiology teacher at the School to Dawkins County and the son of the late Funeral services were held Nolin, Colonial Place Three, Wauchula, Fla., and Robey Floorcovering at \$16,375.98. Donald Parks of Elba. July 5, 2003 at Tennille Road 2107 Wilson Blvd, Suite 300, Harrison, Samson, Ala. from Note: Recent articles cover- Thursday, July 17, 2003 at 10 Ala. with Bro. Ira D. Simmons physics/chemistry/physical sci- ing the discussion of the sewage a.m. at Founders Chapel with officiating. Burial followed at WILLIAM ROBERT "BILL" ence teacher at New Brockton system at Zion Chapel often Revered Joe Small officiating. Tennille Road Church of Christ THOMPSON JR. High School to physical sci- referred to fill lines; however, Burial will follow at Gaston Cemetery with Coleman Mr. William Robert "Bill" ence/physics/chemistry/ecology this should have been field lines. Memorial Park with McLean Funeral Home of Elba directing. Thompson Jr., age 78, of Funeral Home of Gastonia, N.C. Mr. Snell was preceded in Dothan, Ala., died July 13, 2003 death by his wife, Georgia Reed at Flowers Hospital.

Survivors include his Snell. mother: Davana Parks Moore, Survivors include two daugh- 30 years, Mr. Thompson was a Gastonia, N.C.; maternal ters: Annie Thompson (Ted), grandparents: Sandee and Prince George, Calif., May Jean

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dren and four great-grandchil-

during our husband and father's age 61, of Daleville, Ala., foras a language arts teacher at It was the understanding of ongoing illness. We ask for conthe commission that Grimsley tinued prayers and support as he May 31, 2003 after an extended Memorial services were held education teacher for grades commission at a later date on A special thanks to everyone July 12, 2003 at St. Luke United

Jerome donated his body to 7/17chg. the University of Alabama

Anthony J. Ryall, Kings Mtn.; Hospital in Birmingham, Ala. World War II and Korean Mr. Mickey Parks, age 45, of paternal grandparents: Mavis for research on cancer and the Veteran having served in the 3096 County Road 404, Elba, and Lomax Parks, Elba, Ala.; harvesting of his organs. U.S. Navy. He retired from the father, Forest W. Parrish, and his National Security in Elba and

brother, Lamar Parrish. offered to fill the seat for the on fundraisers for the town's Funeral Home directing. Funeral services will be held Betty P. Bates, Enterprise, Ala., Cemetery with Byrd Funeral grants will be delivered Survivors include his Thursday, July 17, 2003 at 10 Sue P. Crawley, Brundidge, Home directing.

> Geneva, Ala., Kathy Michelle Memorial Park with McLean In lieu of flowers, contribu- Mae Whitehead Thompson; two Hospice in Enterprise, St. Luke Louine Williams.

James Parks, both of Elba; two Anthony J. Ryall, Kings Mtn.; MELISSA ANGELINE Although the mayor said he five girls from New Brockton Catrett, Geneva, Ala., and Haley and Lomax Parks, Elba, Ala.; Ms. Melissa Angeline Nolin, Marilyn, Tallahassee, Fla., and several other relatives and age 40, of Secane, Pa., formerly Gregory Keith Thompson, of Elba, died July 5, 2003 at her Montgomery, Ala.; one sister:

Memorial services were held and six grandchildren. 703 Plant Avenue South, Elba, Mr. Thomas E. Smith, age 51. July 9, 2003 at Church of

2003 in a Dothan Hospital. Secane, Pa. with Father Thomas Ms. Maudie B. Harrison, age

Survivors include her daugh- Church of Lake Placid, Fla. lowed in Shiloh Baptist Church Survivors include, his wife: ter: Lacey Crook, Secane, Pa.; Burial will follow in Oak Hill three sons: Thomas E. Smith Jr., Sherlene and Robert Newton, with Reverend Rufus Caraway half sister: Ann Anderson, Newton and wife Christy, Fla., Vesta May Rhodes, Columbus, Ga.; and his grand- Millbrook. Ala., Len Newton, Wauchula, Fla., Shirley Cauley, mother: Eva Mae Smith, Elba. Elba.

Memorials may be made to Harrison, Elba, Jessie Harrison, the National Alliance for the Venus, Fla., David Harrison and Mr. David Snell, age 75, died Mentally III or local NAMI James Harrison, both of Lake chapter in care of Melissa Placid, Fla., Ralph Harrison,

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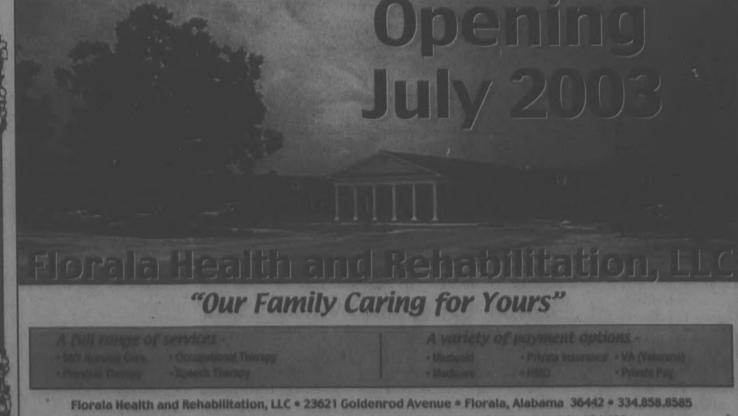
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Woodland Grove Baptist Church

having VBS July 21-25 Woodland Grove Baptist Church in New Brockton, Ala. is holding Vacation Bible School July 21st - 25th from 6:00 p.m. -8:30 p.m. Ages 0 - 6th grade,

The Zoar Cemetery Scripture: Psalm 50:1-23 Association meeting

Association has been meeting The Snell family, Lovie on the Saturday before the Hooks, Murry Barnes, Versie fourth Sunday each July since Barnes, O.B. Daniels, Mary 1988. When first organized, Alice Blue, Kary Nell each family with loved ones Holstead, Homer C. Coleman, buried in Zoar Cemetery had to John E. Folmar, Christine maintain the grave sites themwho clean the entire cemetery Flournoy, The Parks Family

Continued personal and finan- ***Homecoming and Revival cial support is still needed; Services will be held July 20therefore, those who have loved 25, 2003 at Mt. Calvary ones or family members are Missionary Baptist Church. encouraged to attend a meeting Homecoming service will be Malik Kelley, son of Marcus Saturday, July 26, 10 a.m., at July 20 at 2:30 p.m. Revival Kelley and Sharon Wright

set for July 20

group. Sis Pat Norries will bring Jimmy Jackson. the message.

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***Thinking of you, praying planned for July 26 for you: Ruth Belcher, The Zoar Cemetery Jeanette Siler, Murry Barnes, Willingham, Annie Bell and Oneather Smedley.

Reverend D. Threats.

Singing will begin at 1:00 in the afternoon. The Good News

Appreciation Day on Sunday, are Gladys Wright Ernestine Kelley. Quartet will be the featured guest speaker will be Minister Today is a good day; be grate-



services will be held July 21- turned seven-years-old on July Elba Full Gospel Church 25, 2003 at 7:00 nightly. The 9. He celebrated his birthday Homecoming Services evangelist for the week will be with a party at Ryan's Family Steak House in Enterprise. His ***Elba Zion Missionary sister Tia was his special guest. Elba Full Gospel on Smith Baptist Church, 802 Newton He received many gifts and sur-Ave. will be having Street, will hold Youth prises. His grandparents in Elba Homecoming on July 20, 2003.

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Faith Assembly of God Youth Center in Enterprise to hold opening service Saturday, July 19th

Jason Allums, El Bethal is located at 1506 West College

Shiloh Baptist Church.

Revival planned for July

The Faith Assembly of God will be in charge of the service. more infogration call 894-6371 Youth Center will hold its open- Ages will be 10 years old or 393-6620. After the opening ing service on Saturday, through high school. Faith service, there will be a youth evening July 19th at 7:00 p.m. Assembly of God Youth Center service every week. Assembly of God youth pastor Street in Enterprise, Ala. For

Area wide Youth Convention planned at First Assembly of God in Enterprise for August 1& 2

Area wide youth convention begin at 7:00 p.m. with praise activities and food will follow. will be held August 1 and 2 at and worship. There will be spe- For more information call 347-First Assembly of God in cial music and guest speaker. 8447. Enterprise. Each service will Greg Atkins. Youth fellowship.

> The South Alabama Conference of the A.M.E. Church to hold meeting July 19th

The South Alabama of donating may make their Conference of the A.M.E. quarterly donation at this meetprovide updates on progress

Randal & Betty Sasser The children and grandchil- may be given to any Board dren of Betty and Randal Sasser member at any time, or mailed invite all family and friends to to Ms. Bernella Knight.

help them celebrate Sunday. Treasurer. P. O. Box 628, beginning Monday July 21 - 24. July 27 from 2:00 until 3:30 at Tuskegee, AL 36087. Those Services will begin at 7:00 members who have chosen the nightly There will be a several guest

"Dollar Per Day" or other level speakers. 27-August 1 at New Johns Chapel A.M.E. Church's Anniversary Hope Baptist Church Celebration to be held July 20

Hale. Music will be provided by The guest minister will be Reverend Parker, 393-

ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE THIS SUNDAY!

Church will hold its next ing or whenever convenient. Conference Center meeting on The land for the site has been Saturday, July 19 at 1:00 p.m. at purchased, so funds are now New Bethel A.M.E. Church in needed to proceed with con-Geneva. This meeting will struction plans. For more informmediately follow the gather- mation, please contact Board of ng of the South Conference Directors President, James M. WMS Executive Board, which Roberts, at 792-8249, Presiding is scheduled to convene at 10:00 Elders J. F. McCloud, 983-1966: a.m. at New Bethel. The pur- J. D. Sanders, 347-0875; or pose of the Center meeting is to David Reddick, 308-1400.

toward construction of a South Youth Revival planned Mr. and Mrs. Randal

Sasser to be honored

Conference Center in Dothan.

Donations toward this effort will be accepted at this meeting, or

July 21-24

held at the Elba Church of God

Pastor-Rev. Roy L. Turner

New Hope Baptist Church. Johns Chapel A.M.E. Church, Presiding Elder of the Troy Co. Rd. 114, New Hope 841 Geneva Highway, District, South Alabama Community, will hold revival services July 27 thru August 1.

July 27 at 6:00 p.m. and July 28 ebrate their church anniversary,

Account 1 of 7000 p.m. The - August 1 at 7:00 p.m. The Sunday, July 20, 2003 at 3:00 Sis. Betty Simmons, 347-9288, speaker will be Bro. Kenneth p.m. Sis. Joyce Baxter, 347-1952 or

mittee and editors of this publi- pate and exercise leadership in cation have included the name extracurricular activities. Parker Reunion planned for 2003. Dr. Coleman received his

WHO AMONG STUDENTS This honor is awarded to stu-

Miss Mauldin & Mr. Daniels

Saturday, August 23 at Basin Baptist Church

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall R. Mrs. Dorothy C. Daniels and the

Mauldin of Elba announce the late Wilmer F. Daniels and the

engagement of their daughter, late Claude S. and Gladys

She is a graduate of Elba High at Basin Baptist Church with a es.

Mauldin-Daniels wedding planned for

Marsha Ivy Mauldin to Claude Kendrick, all of Elba.

The groom is the grandson of

The Parker Reunion will be Attendees are asked to bring a ed special recognition by the held Saturday, August 9, 2003 covered dish and a beverage. American Board of beginning at 10:00 a.m. at the Bring family history informa- Orthodontics in May when he Farm Center in New Brockton. tion and pictures.

Saturday, August 9th



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event of July 19 Mr. and Mrs. Rilous J. Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Otis L. Johnson, Jr. announce the upcoming marriage of their children Myeshia Michelle Carter to Theotis Dewayne Johnson on July 19, 2003 at 5:00 p.m. at First Baptist Church in Florence. A reception will follow at the Florence Conference

> NEW ARRIVAL

John Martin Wilson

Dr. Mamie McCullough to conduct in-service at JOHN MARTIN WILSON Elba City Schools

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McCullough will conduct a 2003 beginning at 10:30 a.m. on motivational in-service for the the site of the old school buildteachers and staff of Elba City ing on County Rd 514 and cor-Dr. McCullough is living site of the Damascus Senior her family and friends were proof that "it's not where you Citizens Building. Bring a covstart that matters - it's where you ered dish with serving utensil finish, and it's not what hap- and a beverage, Ice, plates, and he daughter of Christopher and

Dr. Mamie McCullough

and her husband reside in group. was raised in poverty with eight Franklin Daniels, son of Mr. and He is a graduate of Kinston Josh and Jill Wilson of Elba, brothers and sisters in Dixie, Mrs. Frank Daniels of Elba. High School and attended Ala. announce the birth of their Georgia. Instead of yielding to a The bride-elect is the grand- MacArthur State Technical son, John Martin Wilson. He life of despair, she has become daughter of Mrs. Wanda College in Opp. He is currently was born on June 11, 2003 at on the country's most popular Donaldson and the late Jack employed in Enterprise. Southeast Alabama Medical motivational speakers. She has Donaldson and the late Harvey The wedding will be an event Center. John Martin weighed 8 written several books.

and Jean Mauldin, all of Elba. of August 23, 2003 at 4:30 p.m. lbs. 5 oz and measured 20 inch- An invitation is extended to CHRISTIAN the community to attend Dr. State Junior College and Troy lowship hall. No local invitaState University. She is tions will be cent All family and State University. She is tions will be sent. All family and John A. "Johnny" Martin all of High School Auditorium at 8:30 announce the birth of their Shae Farris of Kinston and friends are invited to attend. Elba and Jerry and Jessica Smith a.m. For more information conthe New Hope Community. Schools at 897-2801.

Shanna Michelle Tillis of 2002 edition of WHO'S WHO Davis of the New Hope named to Dean's list Maternal grandparents are was 20 inches long. Elba, daughter of Jimmy and AMONG STUDENTS IN Community. Students who were included Marilyn Wilson and Jimmy Maternal grandparents are Faye Tillis, has been selected by AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES Dr. Grant Coleman on the Dean's scholars list at Kearce of Andalusia. Paternal Tony and Sherrie Farris of University of Montevallo as one AND COLLEGES, an annual of the country's most outstand- directory of outstanding stu- completes residency semester included Katherine Frankie Christian of Brantley. ing campus leaders by WHO'S dents first published in 1934. in the Department of Grimes of Elba.

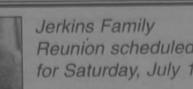
IN AMERICAN UNIVERSI- dents who display outstanding Orthodontics TIES AND COLLEGES. achievements, not only in schol-A campus nomination com- arly endeavors but also particiof Orthodontics at Virginia Commonwealth University School of Dentistry in Richmond, Virginia, on June 30, Certificate in Orthodontics as well as a Master of Science.

Dr. Coleman was also awardreceived the Earl E. and Wilma S. Shepard Award of Distinction. This award is presented each year to the candidate receiving the highest score in the nation on the Board's written examination. The written exam, taken by more than 200 candidates annually, is the second of three steps toward becoming a Diplomat of the American Board of Orthodontics. This award will be presented to Dr. Coleman next May at the annual meeting of the American Association of Orthodontics in Orlando,

Dr. Coleman is a 1993 graduate of Elba High School. He graduated from the University of Alabama in 1997 and proceeded to the University of Alabama School of Dentistry where he graduated in 2001 with a degree Doctor of Dental Medicine. He is the son of the late Nelda Coleman of Elba and Gerry Coleman of Pike Road, Ala. Grant and his wife, Katie, make their home in Charlotte, North Carolina, where he is in the private practice of orthodon-

> 100th Horn Reunion planned for July 20th

The 100th Annual Horn Reunion will be held Sunday, July 20 at the historic Horn Shelter, located in Glenwood, seven miles Southeast of Luverne in Crenshaw County. For more information or directions call Ray Horn at (334)284-0243, Becky Horn Rogers at (334)335-5341, or Mary Frances



PZK Civic Park in Robertsdale. alcoholic beverages. Bring family information and pictures. The Jerkins family history book has been completed and will be James (Jim) Jerkins at (251)679-

Reunion set for

and the late Andy Wilson all of tact Harriette Boyd, Elba City Christian. She was born July 2. announce the birth of their son. Shanna Tillis receives honor Great grandparents are Martha Martin of Elba and Lois Wilson Announces area student inches long.

Reunion scheduled for Saturday, July 19

will be held July 19, 2003 at the nformation contact Doris Hasting at (251)947-5499, Jack Butler at (850)421-7756, or

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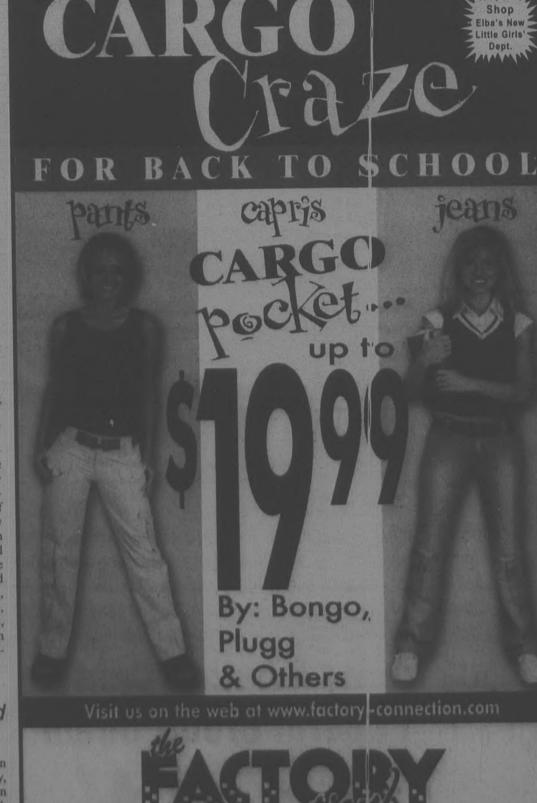
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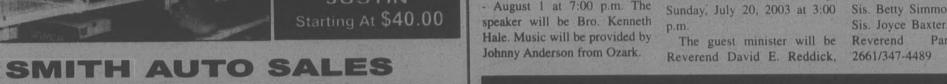
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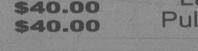
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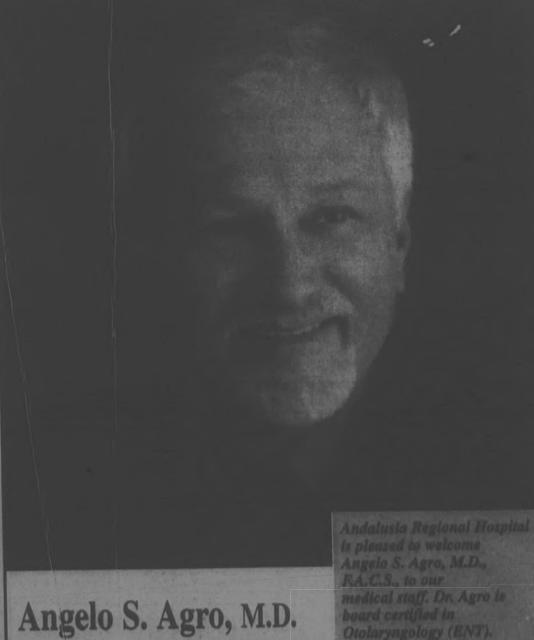


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Views from....

THE PRESSBOX

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

while many kids are probably dreading their return to the classroom. Amelia Rhoades as clirician, the two-day camp, which is for 1:00 and Session II from 1:00 Melanie is ready to head back and is actually looking forward to being a freshman. I heard her tell a friend last week that she was ready to get back in school, and over the weekend she reminded me

Benefit golf tournament set that she had a lot of school shopping left to do. Guess that means 1 need to check the ads in the newspapers for blue jeans, t-shirts, and for July 11 at Ft. Rucker maybe even some pencils and paper.

FOR WHAT IT'S WORTH....

*** The area sports scene is at a standstill for a couple of weeks. Museum Foundation, scheduled men and women, door prizes, but before you know it the kids will be back in school and that for Friday. July 11, at Fort food, and beverages. In addi- Adult softball leagues to form in Elba means the youngsters will be working hard getting ready for youth Rucker's Silver Wings course. tion, each team may buy 25 feet football and cheerleading, while the older ones will be practicing The four-person scramble is of "error correction" string for The Elba Department of Parks and Recreation has announced with their school teams in football, volleyball and cheerleading. The open to all golfers but limited to \$20. next two weeks may be a little quiet. However, you know that won't the first 36 teams. Prizes will be Contact Tournament Director in both Men's and Co-Ed divisions. last long here in Elba or anywhere else across the state and the awarded for net and gross to Darryl Allman (334) 347-1281

*** When the Elba Tigers hit the field this fall there will be a void on the sidelines as long time assistant coach Bill Rayborn will not be a member of the coaching staff. Coach Rayborn has been an Mosquitos will still be a problem important part of the Tigers' success for almost two decades as a line as humicl summer days continue coach and a team trainer, but his father is very ill and Coach Rayborn made the decision to return home after school hours and help take care of his Dad. We all understand your concern and pray for your Dad's health to return quickly, but never doubt for one County Extension Agent minute that you will be missed every time the team hits the field for practice or for a game.

*** The various baseball and softball all-star tournaments are still going on across the state, and while the Elba teams have already both baseball and softball at the sub-district level, but then ran head people. Persons working or lents. first into the Dothan teams at the district tournaments and now will playing in mosquito-infested. Never use repellents on join the rest of the small towns watching from the bleachers. I am area will find repellents very wounds or irritated skin. playing field the all-star teams from towns like Elba will always play a few games and then watch as the bigger towns take over.

and sold as aerosols, creams, mately 4-6 hours. Saturation *** The Elba Recreation Department is trying to give the adults solids (sticks) and liquids. Use does not increase efficacy.

in the area something to do for a few more weeks as it gets ready to repellents containing DEET. For Wash repellent-treated skin begin a summer softball league for both men and women. The men's more than 40 years, DEET has after coming indoors. league will play on Tuesday nights and use all the fields at Hawkinsbeen the standard in mosquito

If a suspected reaction to Williams Park, while on Thursday nights the action will be for both repellents. men and women as a Co-Ed league will hit the fields. The leagues will play through the end of August, and hopefully will be a big success for everyone involved.

*** Elba's Justin Allen competed in the Future Masters Golf Tournament last weekend in Dothan and shot an opening round 73 highly effective as an insecti- Mosquito Traps tion as a sleeper in a Dothan newspaper and gave his Elba fans Permethrin-treated clothing Insect electocuters (bug zaphopes of a possible title. The Elba golfer did fade late in the tournament and wasn't a contender by the time the leaders came in toes and other arthropods and devices are 20th century control Saturday night, but at least for one day he was among at the presti-

*** Rumors began circulating last week that the Blue-Gray Troy State. The college all-star game wasn't held last year due to the loss of its major sponsor, but the word is that Movie Gallery is ready to step in to help revive the contest if it will make the move from Montgomery to Troy. The Montgomery Lions Club, the official heading their way. Wonder how the Montgomery city officials will

* * In closing...the second half of the Major League Baseball season is ready to start and while I still have my doubts, I will have to admit that I was quite a bit premature back before the season started when I wrote that the Atlanta Braves would not win their division. The Braves are in their usual place atop the division at the am probably wrong again; however, unless the Braves make some trades I still think they have a long road ahead and are anything but a lock to win the division. I plan on going to watch the Braves play in a couple of weeks and will be pulling for them to win, but I still believe that the Braves management has had its head stuck in the sand too long and many other teams have passed them by.

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Elba Parks & Recreation RECREATION REPORT

plans to form a "Summer Softball League," with games to be played

Team registration will take place from July 1 - July 17, with games scheduled to begin on July 22 and July 24. The Men's division will play all games on Tuesday nights, with the Co-Ed division to play games on Thursday nights.

Team entry fee is \$150 and is due when the team roster is turned in prior to the registration deadline. In the Co-Ed division all teams nust have an equal number of males and females on the roster! For more information call the Elba Recreation Department at to the skin, particularly of chil-897-6833. The deadline to enter a team is July 17 at 5:00 PM.

Youth football sign-up now underway

The Elba Department of Parks and Recreation began registration are likely to have contact with for youth football on Monday, July 14 and continue the registration Repellents are substances that Pregnant and nursing women until Friday, August 8. Three teams will compete this fall, with team begin play at the state tournaments. Enterprise dominated play in make a mosquito avoid biting should minimize use of repelages being 6-8, 9-10 and 11-12, with a players' age being determined by their age on August 1, 2003. Registration is \$20 per player, and equipment can be rented from the department for \$25. Registration forms are available at the Recreation Center and at the not making excuses; however, unless changes are made to level the bites. Repellents are formulated application will last approxi- 6833.

Let's Go...

Outdoors with Ben by Ben Norman, Sports Columnist



Redbelly fishing will make you feel like Huck Finn

retains this effect even after measures. Insect electrocuter Fishing for Redbellies in the small rivers of Alabama takes you laundering. light traps have been extensive- back in time to when fishing was as simple as it gets. A can of Permethrin-treated clothing ly marketed for the past several worms, paper sack of catalpa worms or a homemade gricket cage should be safe when label direc- years claiming they can provide was all you needed in the bait department. Add a green cut cane pole, pack of no. 8 hooks, split shot, line and a can of repellents do not offer any pro- toes and other pests in your back lunch and you were in business. Ah, those were the good old days,

tection from mosquitoes when yard. Numerous devices are right? applied to the skin. It is often available for purchase that claim Redbelly, or the redbreast sunfish, is among the scrappiest fighthelpful to use spray repellents to attract, repel or kill outdoor ers in the sunfish family. They are among the larger sunfishes and Troy are already getting ready and seem confident that the game is on outer clothing as well as the infestations of mosquitoes. They skin. Protection generally may should be thoroughly researched not uncommon for them to reach one pound. The record is a two pound, one ounce fish taken from the Suwannee River.

Redbellies live in a variety of conditions. They can be found in Other mosquito traps are Oil of citronella is another designed to mimic a mammal by cold mountain streams to warm water lakes and ponds of the southtype of mosquito repellent for emitting a plume of carbon east, but they are more numerous in flowing streams. They congrespace repelling. Oil of citronella dioxide, heat and moisture, gate with other sunfish and may be found anywhere you find is the active ingredient in many which is often combined with an bluegill and redear or shellcraker.

of the candles, torches, or coils additional attractant to create an The primary identifying characteristic is the bright red or orange ing it back to the playoffs as long as they continue to hit the ball. I that may be burned to produce a attractant to mosquitoes. After color on the breast and belly of the fish. They are a brilliantly colsmoke that repels mosquitoes. drawing the insects to the trap, a ored fish with a medium sized mouth and a short pectoral fin. The These are useful outdoors only vacuum device sucks the insects male has bright turquoise streaks running from the mouth toward under windless conditions. into a net or cylinder where they the gills. Females are similarly colored but their markings are more Their effectiveness is somewhat dehydrate and die. No electric subdued. Not all redbellies have red breasts; some are closer to velless than repellents applied to killing grid or pesticides are low or rust colored because of water variations.

While color may vary, the one sure way to identify redbellies is Some common sense rules to Scientific data relative to the their long earflap. The flap is almost always black an is longer and follow when using repellents effectiveness of these devices is wider on the male than on females. Redbelly is the most common sparse so be sure to review all name for the red breast sunfish in Alabama, but in Florida and other Wear long sleeve shirts and the information available before surrounding states one may hear them referred to as red headed pants outdoors during peek purchasing one of these. In addinosquito activity time periods. tion, some of the mosquito traps names.

Spawning in Alabama occurs somewhat later with redbellies than many sunfishes, but may continue throughout the summer. They are Keep repellents away from Safe driving tips solitary nesters and prefer to make beds close to the bank near stumps, logs and other debris in two to five feet deep water. The male guards the nest aggressively and will readily hit bait and lures retrieved over the bed. They are such dedicated nest guards that they will repeatedly hit the same lure after being caught and released sev-Buckle up! Taking this simple

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Coffee County 4-Hers participating in the State Market Hog Show are front row from left - K.D. Barnes, Kaitlin Henderson, Justin Henderson, Lindsey Henderson, Ben Lacewell, and Jesse Driver. Back Row from left - Ashley North, Amber Henderson, Ann Schieffer, Mark Windham, Adam Pope,

Area 4-Hers participate in the State Market Hog Show held in Dothan

livestock shows in the Tri-State competitors. award handed out each year, and competition.

Ben won a blue ribbon in show- for his first year. Enterprise, Kaitlin had the placed well in the judging com- Ann Schieffer of New Grand Champion market hog in petition.

Jesse Driver of Kinston. Jesse manship, the judging contest, competitor competition. five in the judging contest, and competition.

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One of the most prestigious was one of the top supreme judging competition.

Ben Lacewell of Enterprise. especially well in showmanship hardest showmanship classes. Elba. manship and had a great show Lindsey Henderson of Ashley placed in the top five in

the Auburn Division of the Adam Pope of New Brockton. five in showmanship, the judg-Adam placed top five in show- ing contest, and the supreme

placed in showmanship, the top and in the supreme competitor Jeremy Driver of Kinston.

and did especially well in the competition.

Area is the State Market Show K.D. Barnes of New Brockton. Mark placed first in year old Hunter Snow of Elba. held in Dothan each summer. Brockton, K.D. was a top com- the supreme competitor, show- and his puppy display three of Coffee County 4-Hers won petitor and blue ribbon winner manship, and judging competi- largest of his successful string of many big awards and also won in showmanship and also won tion and also made the champi- catfish caught in a nearby the award for the largest county awards in judging and placed on drive with his market hog. "secret hole" Saturday aftergroup at the show. This is an well in the supreme competitor Josh Driver of Kinston. Josh noon. Hunter is the sone of placed second in the judging Donnie and Sonya Snow.He is Coffee County has won it for the Justin Henderson of and supreme competitor compe- the grandson of Gloria Jean

Ashley North of Enterprise." Enterprise. Lindsey had a blue the supreme competitor and Kaitlin Henderson of ribbon in showmanship and placed second in showmanship.

Amber Henderson of judging contest, and the top five Enterprise. Amber placed well in showmanship, and placed available at Elba in all categories of competition well in the supreme competitor

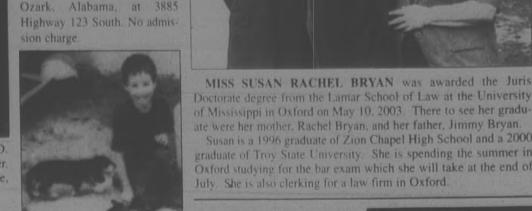
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last eight years. This year's par- Enterprise. Justin placed well in tition. He also made a very Parker and the great grandson of ticipants were as follows: all areas of the show and did strong showing in one of the Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Parker, all of Brockton. Ann placed in the top five in showmanship, the jude

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NOTICE OF INTERIM SETTLEMONTGOMERY, ALABAMA
A cashier's check or bid bo payment of the indebtedness nterest in and to the following lescribed real estate, situated in Coffee County, Alabama, to-wit:
A parcel of land lying on the NE

/s/William O. Gammill
Probate Judge side of Coffee County Highway 7/10,17,24chg #201 and being situated in the SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 5. T5N, R21E, Coffee County, Alabama, being more particularSTATE OF ALABAMA y described as follows: com- COUNTY OF COFFEE nencing at the NW corner of SW

Hurd, W.G. Sellers, Jr. and Jr. an veyed to Alabama Electric
Cooperative, Inc., its successors
and assigns, forever, together
with all other rights and priviwith all other rights and privi-

thereof as set forth in deed book 97 page 354. to, a reasonable attorney's fee, as provided by the terms of said 7-17, 24, 31 chg. And also, the following described manufactured home which has been permanently Said property will be sold on an IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF Said property will be sold on affixed to the above described "as is, where is" basis subject to COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAM real property with utilities connected and is considered to be part of the real property along part of the real property along with all other improvements and with all other improvements and Judge of Probate where the Judge of Probate where the DEBBIE JOHNSON, will no longer be considered personal property: 1998 Redman uated. Said property will be sold CASE NO.: DR-2003-45 Mobile Home 16' x 76', Serial without warranty or recourse, NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

This sale is subject to postponement or cancellation. For current information regarding the status, time, and opening bid of this sale, email requests to foreclosureserve@aol.com.

Kernett C. King Marty W. Marler

Attorney for Kenneth O. King 348 Simmons Street

Elba, AL 36323

(334)897-6161

7/10,17,24 chg.

sureserve@aol.com. Union Planters Bank, N.A., its successors and assigns.
Foreclosure Services of Alabama, Inc. 256-737-7482 7/3-10,17 chg.

IN THE MATTER OF

CASE NO.: PC-03-49 NOTICE TO FILE CLAIMS
Letters Testamentary on the
Estate of Annie Mae Davis. Judge of the Pro Court of Coffee County, Alabama. Notice

LEGAL NOTICES

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF LABORATORY AND A DISTANCE LEARNING DENNIS KEITH BRUCE. A person with mental disabili- AND TRAINING CENTER

CASE NO. PC-95-0001 DEPARTMENT OF AGRICUL-TURE AND INDUSTRIES

payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Michael Campbell and Angela Campbell husband and wife, to Union Planters Bank, N.A. on the 29th day of August 2002, being recorded in Book 64A at Page 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of the Settlement of the payable to Alabama Department of Agriculture & Industries in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the amount of the bid, but in no event more than 200, on the Settlement of the bid, but in no event more than 200, on the Settlement of the bid, but in no event recorded in Book 64A at Page settlement of her duties and 200, in the Office of the Judge of handling of the estate of Dennis dence of insurance required in the bid documents will be required at the signing of the sugar is dissolved. (Undissolved sugar is dissolved. (Undissolved sugar is dissolved.) Union Planters Bank, N.A., all persons or creditors having under and by virtue of the power an interest in said conservator. Drawings and specifications sugar crystals may be a cause of sugar crysta

2003, during the legal hours of sale, all of its right, title, and interest in and to the following and to the following the legal hours of the Architect.

Bid documents may be obtained to mix up as well from the Architect upon deposit from the Architect upon deposit as to eat. Because traditional ice 2nd day of July, 2003. /s/William O.Gammill

and dealers, may be obtained with the same deposit, which will be refunded as above, less cost of printing, reproduction, handling and distribution.

Default being made in the terms of that certain real estate morting and distribution.

Solution of the parcel herein described: thence South 00'07'17" West 329'32" West 207.78 feet; thence South 00'07'17" West 529'32" West 207.78 feet, to see the feet to the point of the parcel herein described: thence South 00'07'17" West 529'32" West 207.78 feet, to see the feet to the point of the parcel herein described: thence South 00'07'17" West 529'32" West 207.78 feet, to see the feet to the point of the parcel herein described: thence South 00'07'17" West 529'32" West 207.78 feet, to see the feet to the point of that certain real estate morting of printing, reproduction, handling and distribution.

Bids must be submitted on proposal forms furnished by the Architect or copies thereof. All bidders bidding in amounts exceeding that established by the State Licensing Board for General Contractors must be submitted on proposal forms furnished by the Architect or copies thereof. All bidders bidding in amounts exceeding that established by the State Licensing Board for General Contractors must be submitted on proposal forms furnished by the Architect or copies thereof. All bidders bidding in amounts exceeding that established by the State Licensing Board for General Contractors must be submitted on proposal forms furnished by the Architect or copies thereof. All bidders bidding in amounts exceeding that established by the State Licensing Board for General Contractors must be submitted on proposal forms furnished by the Architect or copies thereof. All bidders bidding in amounts exceeding that established by the State Licensing Board for General Contractors must be submitted on proposal forms furnished by the Architect or copies thereof. All bidders bidding in amounts exceeding the feet to right) and the feet to the point of printing, reproduction.

WINNERS IN THE JUNIOR DAIRY FOODs the medium-sized bowl. S 546.59 feet: thence South 55°29'32" West 207.78 feet to the NE right-of-way of Coffee County Highway #201: thence along said right of way (40 feet from centerline) South 34°30'28" East 140.27 feet; thence leaving said right of way North 89°13' 58" East 318.04 feet; thence North 00°07'17" East 536.33 feet to the point of beginning, containing 4.00 total acres, less 0.76 acres included in power line right of way, leaving a net of the south of the county for the point of way, leaving a net of the south of the county for the point of way, leaving a net of the south of the county for the point of way, leaving a net of the south of the county for the point of way, leaving a net of the south of the county for the point of way, leaving a net of the south of the county for the point of way, leaving a net of the south of the county for the point of way, leaving a net of the south of the county for the point of way, leaving a net of the south of the county for the point of the county for the provisions of the state Licensing Board for General Contractors must be hereby given that the understicency for the state Licensing Board for General Contractors must be hereby given that the understicency for the state Licensing Board for General Contractors must be filled and more the provisions of Title 34°. Chapter 8, Code of Alabama, 1975, and must show evidence by clearly displaying his or her current license number on the out-the provisions of Title 34°. Chapter 8, Code of right of way, leaving a net side of Alabama Highway No. reject any or all proposals and to 1 tablespoon vanilla acreage of 3.24 acres more or lag and being a portion of the W waive technical errors if, in the less located in Coffee County, Alabama.

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Owner's judgment, the best Rock salt
North, Range 20 East, Coffee interests of the Owner will there.

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leges necessary or convenient ness and expenses incident to the full enjoyment or use the sale, including but not limited her: (334)263-6400

Number 14719335.

This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness be sold subject to the right of against You and you secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses of foreclo-hereto. required to answer the same the 27 day of July, 2003 Kenneth O. King

> ESTATE OF LEO HENDERSON DECEASED PROBATE COURT PC-03-50

The Estate of Annie Mae
Davis,
Deceased,
IN THE PROBATE COURT
FOR
COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA
ELBA DIVISION
CASE NO. PC-03-49

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 1st day of July, 2003, by the Hon.
William O. Gammill Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is hereby given that all notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will /s/Foy Belcher
Personal Representative
7-10,17,24pd

ice cream

County Extension Agent Without Using Raw Eggs

This recipe is made without A cashier's check or bid bond eggs.

of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to
the highest bidder for cash, in
front of the Courthouse at Coffee

Courty Alabama, on July 24

an interest in said conservatorship estate shall appear in the may be examined at the large ice crystal formation.) Pour may be examined at the large ice crystal formation. Dounty, Alabama, on July 24, said date and time being set for in Montgomery, Alabama; and This easy ice cream recipe

of \$100.00 per set, which will be refunded in full on the first two (2) sets insured to see the second of the seco (2) sets issued to each general cooking, a pasteurized, healthy contract bidder submitting a real egg produce such as Egg bona fide bid, upon return of Beaters ensures the recipe is as documents in good condition safe to eat as it is delicious. within ten (10) days of bid date. 2 cups cold whipping cream Other sets for general contrac- 2 cups cold whole milk tors, and sets for subcontractors 1/2 cup egg beaters /2 sugar

thereafter a default may be r dered against you. This the 18 day of June, 200 /s/James M. Counts James Mickey Counts, Circuit Coffee County, Alabama 6/26-4tchg.

> Don't Forget



Tips on Homemade Susan Taylor

Making Homemade Ice Cream Protect yourself from the danger of possible Salmonella infection by using a homemade ice COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA A REPLACEMENT FACILITY cream recipe made with a cooked egg base, commercial pasteur-J.B. TAYLOR DIAGNOSTIC ized egg substitutes or without eggs. Egg mixtures used in makng cooked bases for ice cream are safe if they reach 160 degrees F when tested with a thermometer. At this temperature, the mixture should coat a metal spoon.

with the same deposit, which will 2 Tbsp. vanilla extract

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PARENTS: If your total current household income is within the limits listed above, your children may be elig ble for either free or reduced-price meals.

They may apply by completing the application forms sent home with a letter to parents. Additional copies are available at the principal's office in each school. The information provided on the application is confidential and will be used only for the purpose of determining eligibility. The information on the application may be verified at any time during the program year. Applications may be submitted any time during the school year. In accordance with program regulations school officials will be verifying the income of some households at some time during the school year. Selected households will be requested to provide income documentation in order to

ontinue receiving free and reduced-price meals. The social security number must be provided for the primary wage earner or household member who signs the application. Aliens ineligible for social security numbers should indicate their status on the application,

In certain cases, foster children are also eligible for these benefits. If a family has such children living with then and wishes to apply for such meals for them, they should contact the school. In the operation of child feeding programs, no child will be discriminated against because of race, sex, color, religion, national origin, age or mental or physical handicap.

Under the provision of the free and reduced-price meal policy, the principal of each school will review the applications and determine eligibility. If a parent is dissatisfied with the ruling or the official, he may wish to discuss it in more detail with that official. If a parent wishes to review the ruling further after discussing it with the school, he has a right to a fair hearing. This can be done by making a request either orally or in writing to David L. Stokes, whose address is 131 Tiger Drive, Elba, AL 36323 or Dr. Linda B. Ingram, Superintendent, whose address is 400 Reddoch Hill

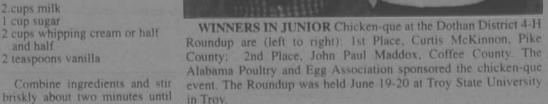
Rd., Elba, AL 36323. Hearing procedures are outlined in the free and reduced-price meal policy.

f a household member becomes unemployed or if the household size changes, the household should contact the chool to file a new application. Such changes may make the children of the household eligible for free or educed-price meals if the household income falls at or below the level shown above.

A complete copy of the Policy is on file in each school and in the office of the Superintendent of Elba City Schools and Coffee County Schools where it may be reviewed by any interested party.

All questions on the free and reduced-price application must be completed. Failure to include information on lousehold members, income or food stamp case number, information on social security, and the signature of an dult household member will result in the denial of benefits.







Pike County. The Roundup was held June 19-20 at Troy State

Shoal Creek Park (Downtown Jack, AL)

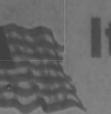
Mobile Home Lots

(Within walking distance of Zion Chapel Schools) Contact Scott Brown (334) 897-6279

Available

ontainers and freeze until firm ELBA CITY SCHOOLS and COFFEE COUNTY SCHOOLS today announced their policy for free and educed-price meals for children served in schools under the National School Lunch Program and/or School Breakfast Program. Local school officials have adopted the following household size and income criteria fo

HOUSEHOLD SIZE		ELIGIBILITY SCALE FOR FREE MEALS		HOUSEHOLD SIZE		ELIGIBILITY SCALE FOR REDUCED-PRICE MEA	
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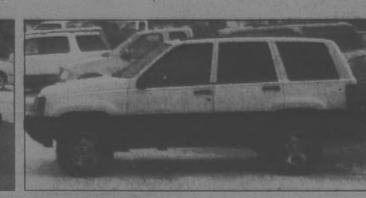




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2000 FOCUS SE - pretty color - automatic



1998 JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE - Laredo -



2001 F 150 SUPERCREW - Lariat - 4 wd



1999 EXPEDITION XLT - low mileage - own owner



2001 MUSTANG CONVERTIBLE



2002 MERCURY SABLE - PS -PW/locks - tilt -



2002 CHEV TRAILBLAZER ZT - local trade - like new





2001 HYUNDAI SANTA FE - leather interior all wheel drive - local trade



2003 SUBURBAN LS - like new - must see -



2002 FORD ESCAPE - power windows & locks - tilt



2003 FORD CROWN VICTORIA LX



1992 CHEVROLET SILVERADO



crew cab - 4 X 4 - leather - loaded - local trade

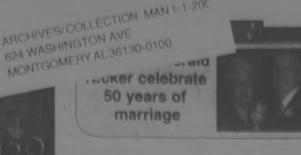
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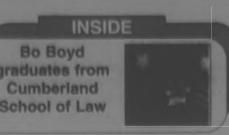
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Thursday, July 24, 2003

1 Section, 12 Pages Plus 1 Adv. Insert

In honor and remembrance of Sgt. Jason D. Jordan, flags are being flown in Elba at half mast until after his funeral. Mayor James

Tallifar, Iraq after the vehicle he was traveling in was ambushed

Elba native killed while serving his country in Iraq

by Linda Hodge, Editor and itself mourning the loss of Jordan became the tenth loss of Jordan are his classmates. Elba week following. Alabamian to die in the war in from the Class of 1997 at Elba. According to his dad, Sgt.

Under the leadership of \$215,624

Weeks explained cost cutting projects.

Elba Fire Department trying to help brother Chris said in a statement good values. Others described that flags were to begin flying at "Our prayer is that no one else MDA with "Fill the Boot" campaign

Superintendent says finances in good shape for Elba City Schools

statewide and local financial having already cut all that can. The board named assistant, qualified' under new federal, duct the annual

Members of the Elba Fire Elba Fire Chief Larry Goodson state funds lasts more than one school librarian Donna Seay, education aide and possibly a 26, in an effort to help picture in education, pay bills, be cut without eliminating principal Johnny Dunn to the guidelines. All of the above "Fill the Boot" rehire existing teachers for the important programs and class- position of principal of Elba hires in jobs which will be con- campaign.

The Capital Projects account hired as Elba Elementary funded with federal grant funds third year the Elba Fire 'Fill the Boot' campaign is a School Counselor from the "No Child Left Department has participated in good way for us to help those in and Charlie Jordan Behind" program.

Elba DARE officer receives honor

in Huntsville earlier this month, Adkinson received

Officer Michael Adkinson

held by fire departments throughout the nation each year, and Goodson said MDA officials have indicated the firefighting association generally raises more money for Jerry's Kids than any other organization On Saturday, members of the

Elba Fire Department will be hours of 8 a.m. and 12 Noon. Everyone is encouraged to fill those boots and help the department help Jerry's Kids.

Elba Fire Department participat-

unteer firefighters by helping

department set its goal at \$500.

the first year and delivered a check totaling \$1,613.08 during

the MDA telethon held Labor Day weekend. Then, the department topped that number by raising \$2,000 in 2002.

"With all the disasters the

people here (Elba) have had,

they are still willing to give," Goodson said. "That says a lot

"Fill the Boot" fund drives are

about the citizens.

them raise just over \$3,600.

"The money raised by the Elba Fire Department will stay in the local area and be used to assist those with muscular dystrophy,' Goodson said. "It will be local people helping local people."

Following Saturday's fund drive, members of the Elba Fire Department will present their contributions in Montgomery during the MDA telethon which is held during the Labor Day weekend.





Weeks said. He also explained The board followed the rec- advertising for vacancies as Award. to board members how, due to ommendations of the assistant high school principal Beth Ladner served as a was named in her honor. additional federal funds, the Superintendent and voted to (with certification in special high school role model within Adkinson is now certified in schools could afford to hire rehire all tenured personnel not education); gifted teacher, K-6 the Huntsville school system the D.A.R.E. curriculum to additional staffers to aid in the drive to bring all students up to the desired levels of learning.

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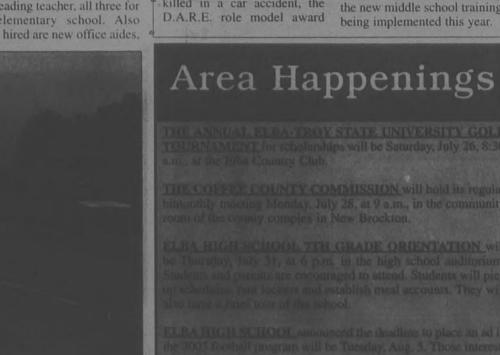
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munity at the intersection of Alabama Hwy. 141 and U.S. Highway 84 Monday afternoon, July 21, after a passenger of a small pickup truck fell out of the vehicle. The driver of the truck was apparently attempting to make a turn at the intersection when the right side door of the vehicle came open and the passenger fell out onto the roadway. Officers with the Coffee County Sheriff's Department responded to the scene along with a unit from Coffee County EMS. The injured individual received medical attention and was taken to the hospital but did not appear to have any serious injuries. Not only is wearing seat belts the law in the State of Alabama, but officers said this unfortunate incident may have been avoided if the victim had been wearing his seat belt.